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1. EMBASSY'S RECOMMENDED COURSE OF ACTION IS APPROVED.
EMBASSY IS AUTHORIZED TO APPROACH MFA ALONG LINES
SUGGESTED REFTEL. EMBASSY SHOULD ALSO POINT OUT HIGH
DEGREE OF AMERICAN PUBLIC AND CONGRESSIONAL INTEREST IN
THESE CASES AND ASK FOR ADVANCE NOTIFICATION OF TRIALS.

2. WE HAVE DISCUSSED THIS WITH AMBASSADOR TOON, WHO ALSO
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AGREES WITH EMBASSY'S RECOMMENDATIONS. VANCE

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